GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6026
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LAND FOR MEMORIAL OF DR. B.R. AMBEDKAR
Wanaga Shri Chintaman Navsha

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of progress made towards utilisation of Indu Mill land of National Textiles Corporation in Mumbai for the memorial of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar;

(b) the details of modalities being worked out by various stakeholders for the purpose including the quantum of compensation likely to be exchanged amongst the stakeholders; and

(c) the time by which the process is likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b): A Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Government of India, Government of Maharashtra and National Textile Corporation Ltd. (NTC) has been signed on 05.04.2015 for transfer of 12 acres of INDU 6 mill land, vested in NTC, for construction of a memorial in honour of Bharat Ratna Dr. B.R. Ambedkar by Govt. of Maharashtra as required under Section 11A of the Sick Textile Undertaking (Nationalization) Act, 1974 (STUNA) on payment of compensation by the State Government. A Sub-committee to be constituted as per the MOU will determine the exact amount of compensation (either in terms of money or allocation of any alternate land or allocation of any other tangible or intangible asset) equivalent to monetary value of the land on the date of transfer, which should meet the requirement of due compensation as mandated under Section 11A of the STUNA.

(c): At this stage, no time limit can be given.